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SUBJECT: Biography for Mr David Dobrotka, Director, Police Reform Directorate

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PURPOSE: To provide background information to the CFC-A Commander for Mr. Dobrotka's Office Call

BACKGROUND: David Dobrotka is a Department of Justice/Criminal Division Program Manager for the International Criminal Investigations Training Assistance Program (DOJ/ICITAP) who has been temporarily assigned to duty with the Bureau of International Narcotics & Law Enforcement of the Department of State (INL/DOS). INL/DOS, in agreement with Ambassador Neumann and MG Durbin, has assigned Dobrotka as the Director of the CSTC-A Police Reform Directorate, assuming the position 19 October 2006 Afghanistan.

Mr. Dobrotka completed 33 months of service on 1 October 2006 in a variety of positions with the Iraq Police Training Program as a member of the Civilian Police Assistance Training Team, Multi-National Security Transition Command-Iraq. He served for 7-months at the Jordan International Police Training Center and for 26-months in Iraq where he was dual hatted as the DOJ/ICITAP Program Manager and as the Senior Executive Police Advisor to CPATT Commanding Generals (MG) Joseph Fil and (MG) Joseph Peterson with administrative oversight of approximately 950 civilian police personnel assigned to CPATT in Iraq and Jordan.

Prior to his service in the Middle East, Dobrotka completed 14 months of service as the Director of Investigations for the United Nations Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK) police where he commanded six (6) centralized investigative units, i.e., Central Criminal Investigations Unit (which included War Crimes), Missing Persons Unit, Witness Protection Unit, Trafficking in Persons Investigations Unit, HQ Forensics Unit and the Kosovo Organized Crime Bureau. UNMIK police was comprised of approximately 5,000 Kosovo Police and 4,500 International Civilian Police Officers from 50 countries at the time of his service.

Dobrotka was the Chief of Police of the Glendale, Arizona Police Department for eight (8) years, from 1994 through 2002, during a period of time when the city's diverse population grew from 164,000 to 230,000, offering him an opportunity to "grow" a department and implement a variety of community policing initiatives. Prior to this, he retired after 26-years of service from the Minneapolis, Minnesota Police Department where he served as a Deputy Chief during his final 8-years, successively commanding the Services, Investigations and Patrol Bureaus as they served a very diverse urban population.

Dobrotka possesses Bachelors and Masters Degrees in Public Administration and attended the 145th Session of the FBI National Academy, Quantico, VA, and the 7th Session of the Senior Management Institute for Police, Police Executive Research Forum, in Boston, MA.

Dobrotka is married to Susan who currently resides in Georgia and they have two grown children, Jennifer, 31 years, San Diego, and David, 35 years, San Antonio. Son David and his wife Shelley have provided them two beautiful Grandsons, Jack-5 years and Cade-1 year.

Mr. Dobrotka looks forward to the challenges of the coming year as he works to align the efforts of CSTC-A PRD civilian and military personnel in accordance with Major General Durbin's plan to man, train, equip, base and grow the capacity of the Afghan Ministry of Interior's civil security forces.

APPROVED BY: Chief of Staff, COL Charles T. Barham CSTC-A/PRD **Enclosures: Individual photo**

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